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08/1469,687**ENDOSSEOUS DENTAL IMPLANT AND  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURE****ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

5       An endosseous dental implant system includes an endosseous implant body which is adaptable to receive either a screw-threaded abutment or a press-fit abutment base. An endosseous implant body replica and an impression pick-up are used in conjunction with the press-fit abutment base to get an exact translation of reference points of the implanted body from the patient's mouth to a model, where a dental prosthesis can be fashioned without prior art alignment problems.